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Osteopathic Oath

I do hereby affirm my loyalty to the profession I am about to enter.

I will be mindful always of my great responsibility to preserve the health and life of my patients, to retain their confidence and respect both as a physician and a friend who will guard their secrets with scrupulous honor and fidelity, to perform faithfully my professional duties, to employ only those recognized methods of treatment consistent with good judgment and with my skill and ability, keeping in mind always nature's laws and the body's inherent capacity for recovery.

I will be ever vigilant in aiding in the general welfare of the community, sustaining its laws and institutions, not engaging in those practices which will in any way bring shame or discredit upon myself or my profession.

I will give no drugs for deadly purposes to any person, though it be asked of me.

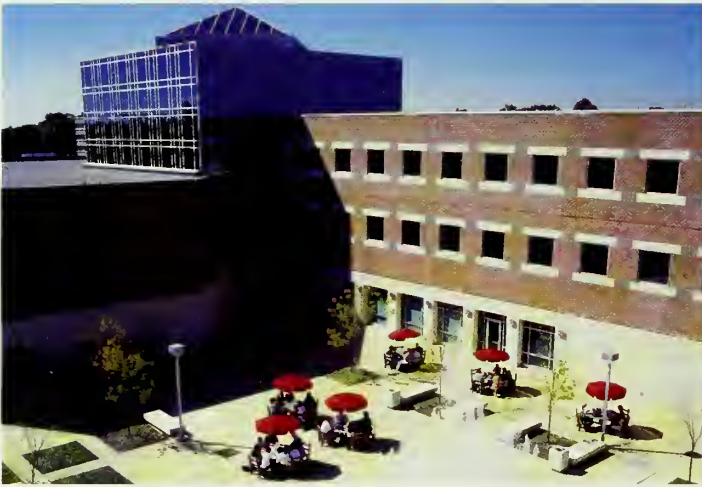
I will endeavor to work in accord with my colleagues in a spirit of progressive cooperation and never by word or by act cast imputations upon them or their rightful practices.

I will look with respect and esteem upon all those who have taught me my art. To my college I will be loyal and strive always for its best interests and for the interests of the students who will come after me.

I will be ever alert to further the applications of basic biologic truths to the healing arts and to develop the principles of osteopathy which were first enunciated by Andrew Taylor Still.



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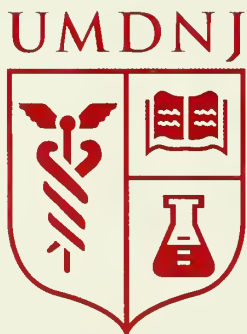
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DEAN'S MESSAGE TO THE CLASS OF 2011

Congratulations to you - the UMDNJ-School of Osteopathic Medicine Class of 2011! I am very proud of each one of you for achieving this milestone. I hope you look back on your time at UMDNJ-SOM with fond memories of student life, your fellow graduates, the faculty, learning and ultimately earning your Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree. Although graduation is often associated with the end of your efforts, this is truly a beginning in many ways. You are entering a new stage of your life where you will apply your unique skills to relieve suffering and always, continue to learn. Regardless of the discipline or area of medicine you aspire to practice, be passionate about learning and most importantly, committed to healing.

You have embarked on your medical career during the most extraordinary time in the history of medicine. Not only will you benefit from having received your medical education and training at the nation's finest osteopathic medical school, but you will also benefit from the abundance of research, invention, and technology that is available today to eradicate disease and prevent illness more effectively than ever.

Remember always, no drug can replace the empathy and healing hands of a well-trained, attentive and dedicated osteopathic physician. Also remember, each time you see a patient, you reaffirm the great oath you took at Convocation calling for you to respect and safeguard each patient you encounter. I know that you have been fully prepared to meet every challenge and possess the knowledge and skills to achieve all of your goals of becoming great physicians.

The tremendous commitment and involvement in our school by our growing alumni demonstrates their appreciation for how SOM has prepared them for their career in medicine, as well as their belief in the excellence yet to come at UMDNJ-SOM. It has been my privilege and honor to have been afforded this opportunity to serve you.

On behalf of the administration, I welcome you to the Alumni Association and trust that you will al-

ways consider yourself an important part of the UMDNJ-SOM family.

Congratulations to you and best wishes in all of your professional endeavors.



**Thomas A. Cavalieri,
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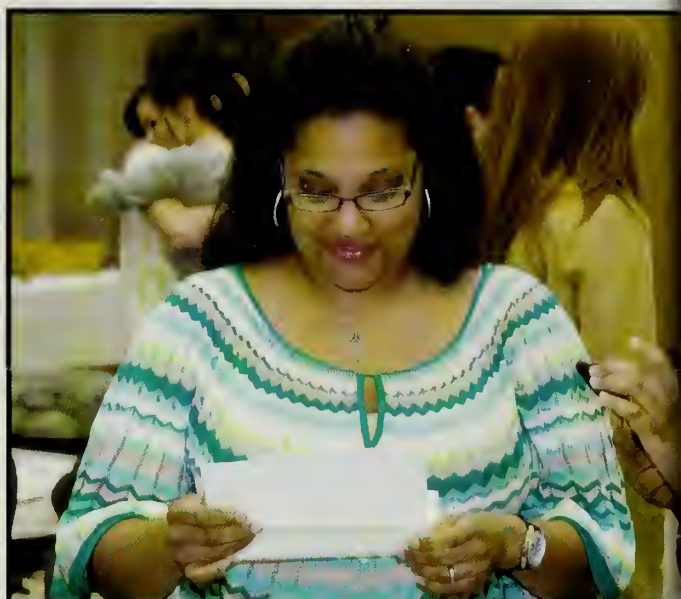
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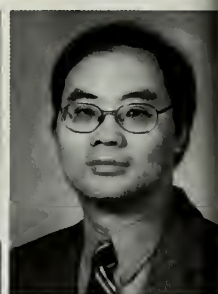


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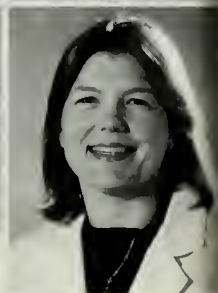
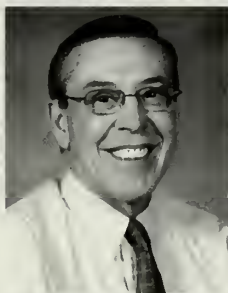


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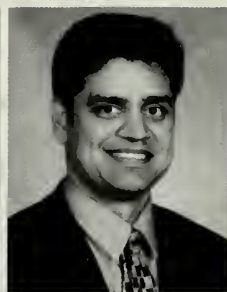
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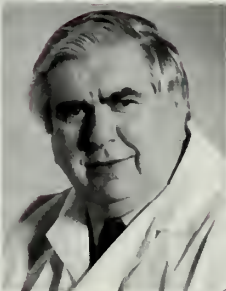
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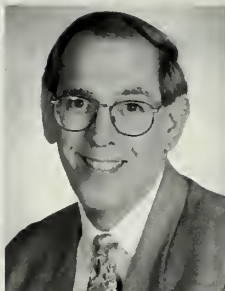
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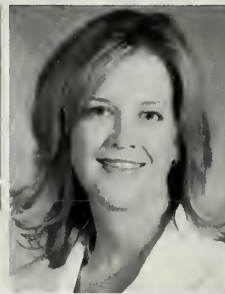
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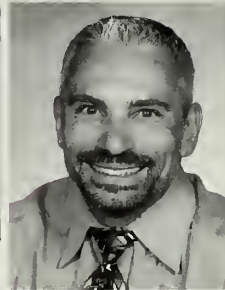
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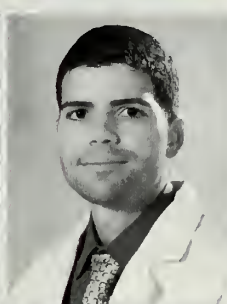
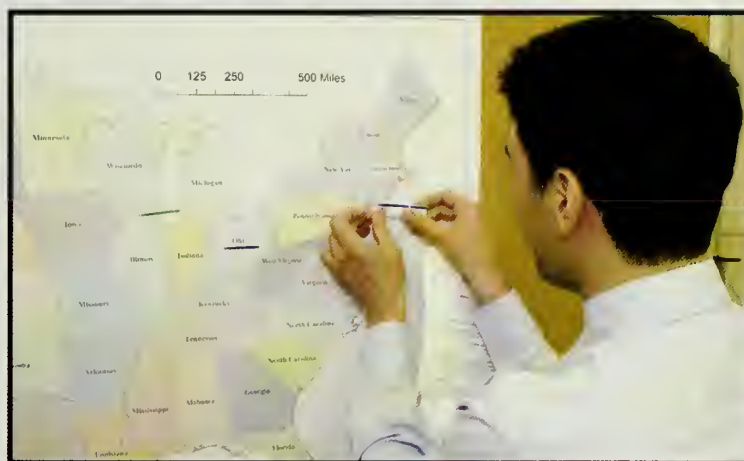
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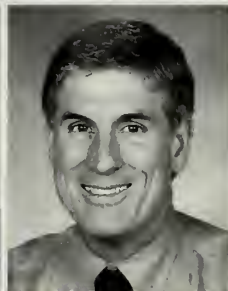
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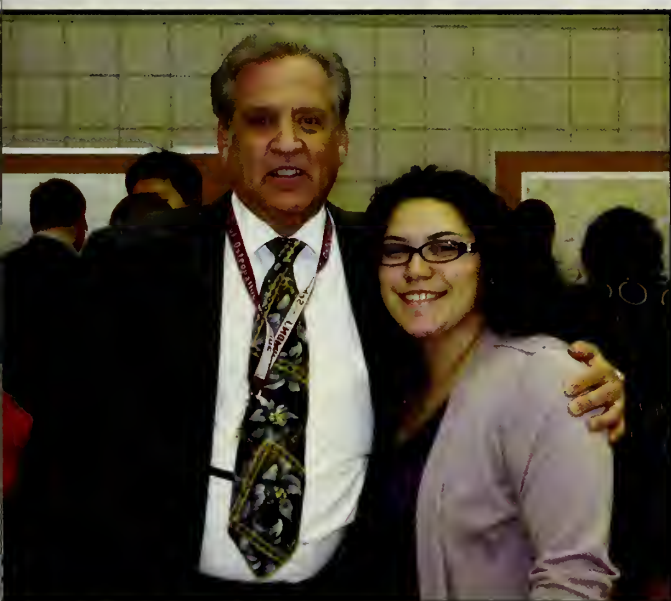
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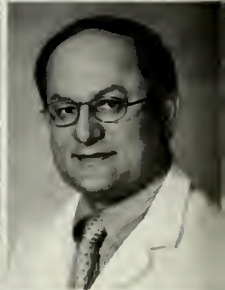
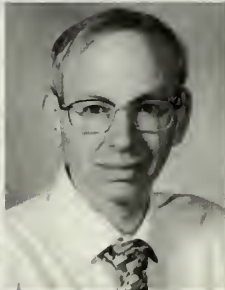
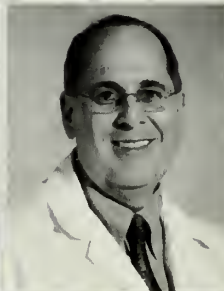
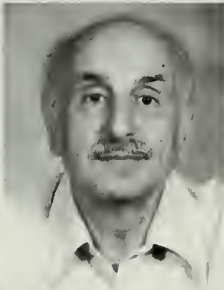
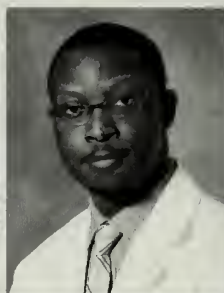
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"Let your mind start a journey through..."

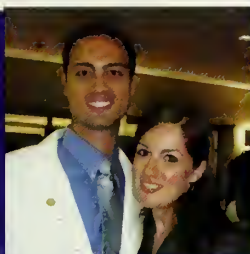


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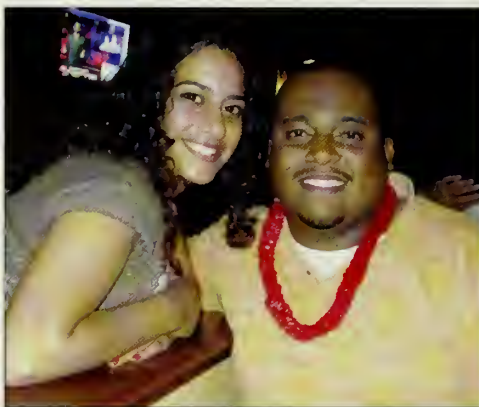
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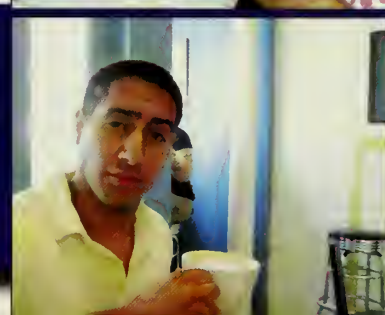


...a strange
new world."
Erich Fromm





“Let’s face it, friends
make life a lot more fun.”
Charles R. Swindell

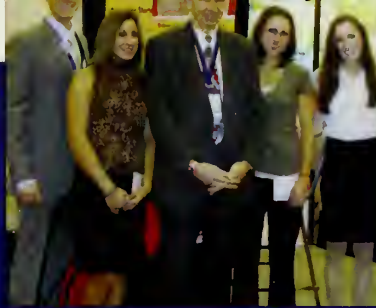


"You better cut the pizza into four pieces because I'm not hungry enough to eat six."
Yogi Berra

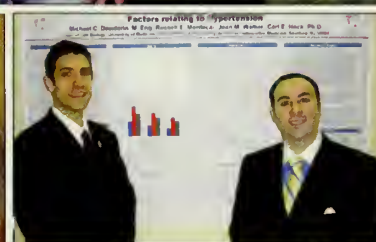
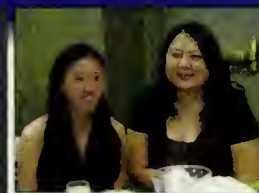
“Success is not a place which one arrives, but rather the spirit with which one undertakes and continues the journey.”

Alex Noble

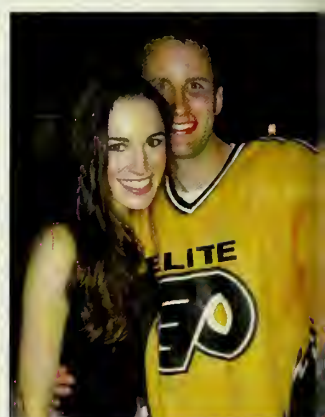
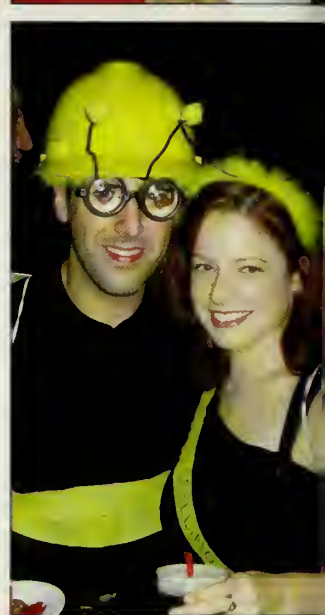
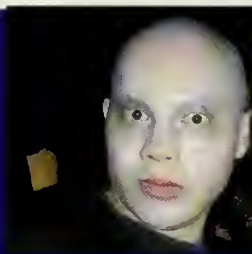




“None of us is as smart as all of us.”
Ken Blanchard



"If you obey all the rules,
you miss all the fun."
Katherine Hepburn

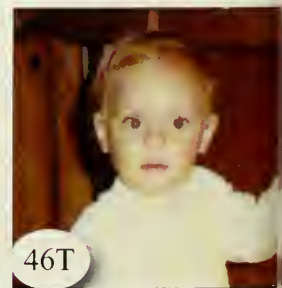
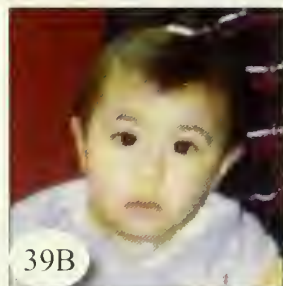
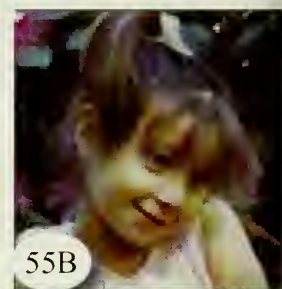
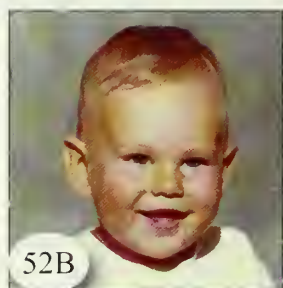




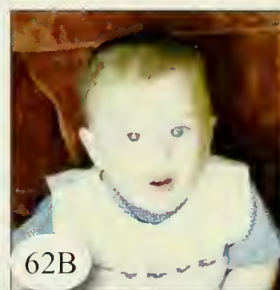
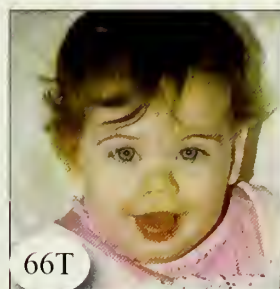
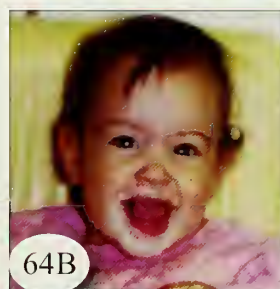
“It’s been a pretty
fun ride, to tell
you the truth.”
R. Lee Ermey



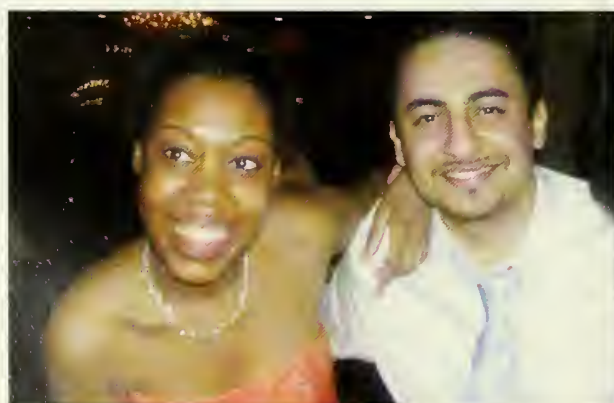
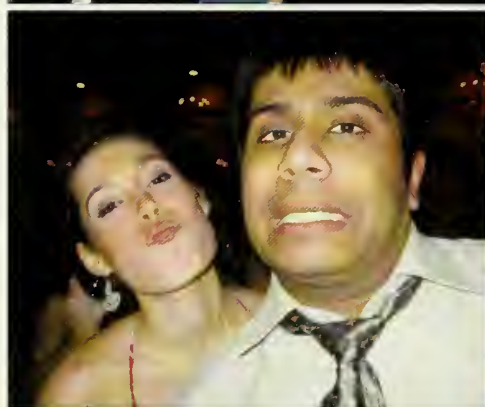
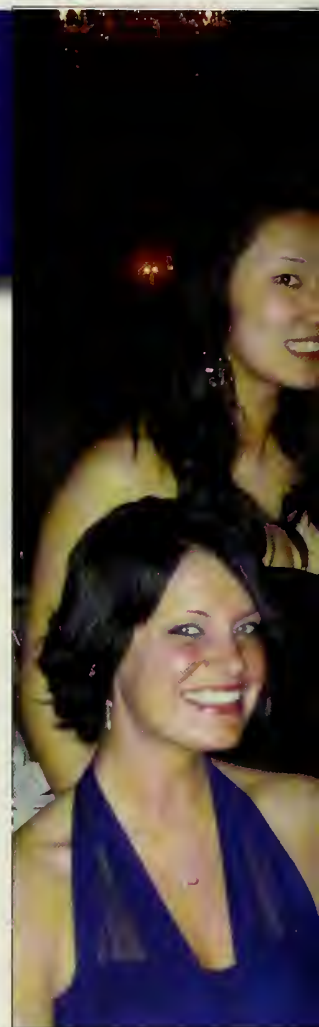
“Babies are such a nice way



to start people.” *Don Herold*

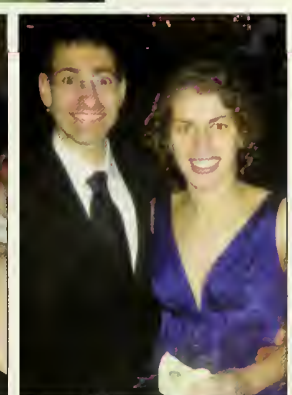
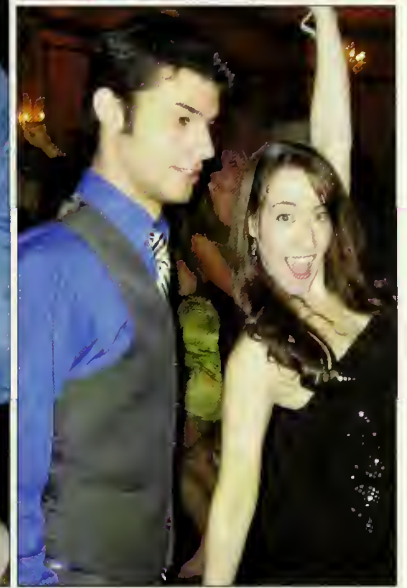


“Hear no evil,
speak no evil...



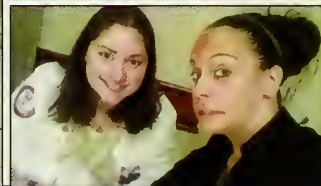
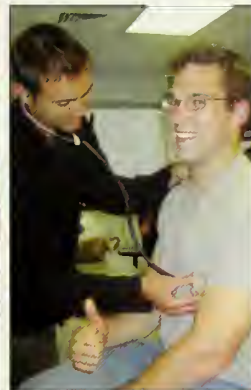
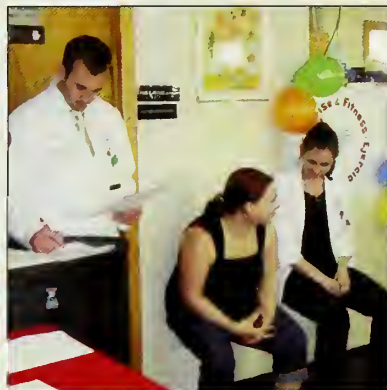
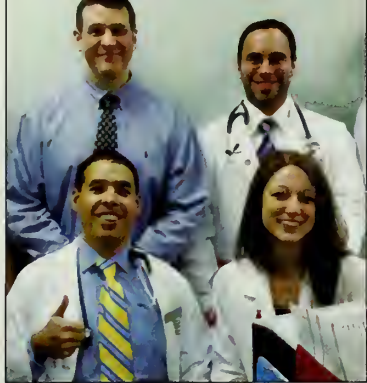


...and you'll never be
invited to a party."
Oscar Wilde



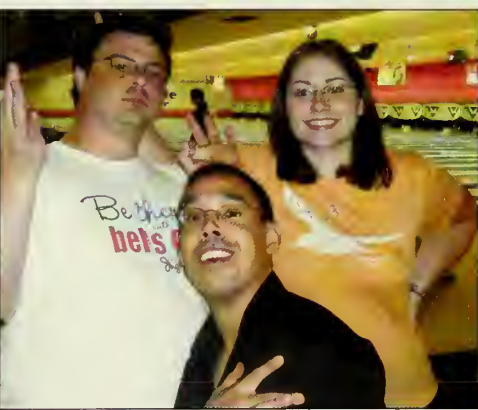


“Let the workers organize.
Let the toilers assemble.”
John L. Lewis



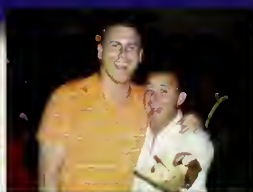
“The physician should not treat the disease, but the patient who is suffering from it.”
Maimonides

“I’m glad I did it,
partly because it
was worth it...



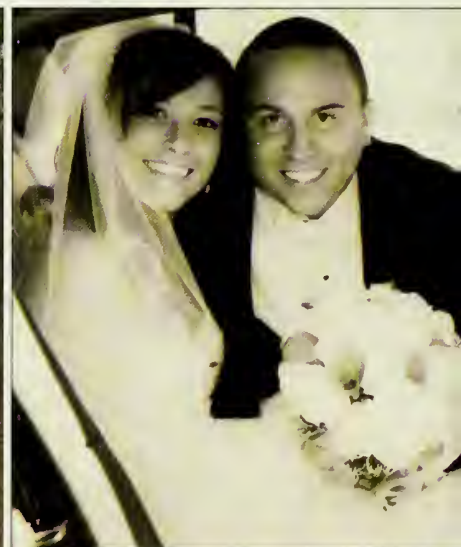
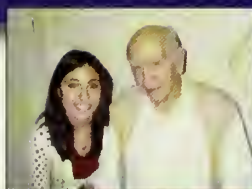


...but mostly because I shall
never have to do it again.”
Mark Twain



“Joy is not in things,
it is in us.”

Richard Wagner



**“The surest way to make a monkey
of a man is to quote him.”
*Robert Benchley***

“It’s pretty clean; it’s not like you’re in
there pounding feces.” – M

“Muscles are shellfish.” – J

“Sex is like playing the piano...
you get better with practice.” – O

“Does anyone in the class have epilepsy, because we are
going to use a strobe light for this presentation?” – E

“So now...” – F

“We need to go down to 5 north, 6th is an anti-pushup floor.” – I

“AAARRRGHHHHH!” – A

“Be on time.” – B

“Stop the dumbness!” – H

“Asking about GTP in biochemistry is like reading
the bible and asking who Jesus Christ is.” – L

“Malassezia furfur.” – G

“point and shoot.” – N

“COXSACKIE!!” – K

“Don’t check a cremasteric
reflex on girls!” – C

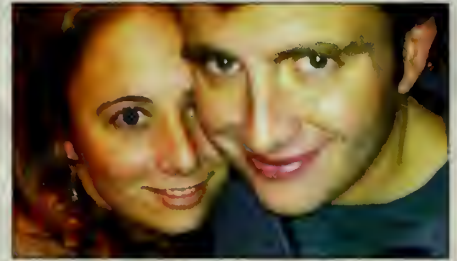
“Build me a neoplasm.” – D

Answers: A) Dr. Yi B) Dr. Krueger C) Dr. Carsia D) Dr. Derisio E) Dr. Delassandro
F) Dr. White G) Dr. Lee H) Dr. Channell I) Dr. Kothari J) Dr. Yin
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"In the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years."
 -Abraham Lincoln



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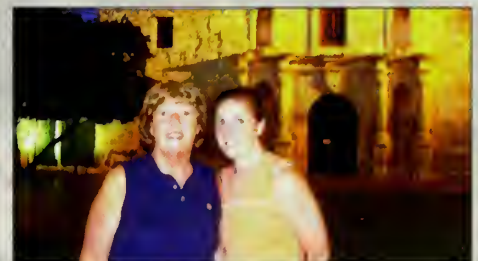
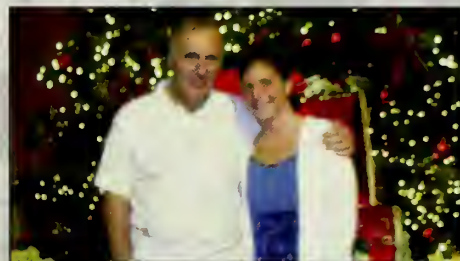
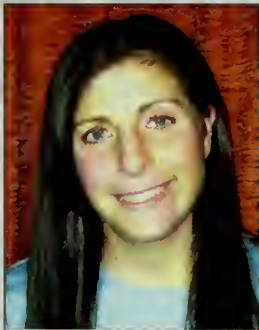
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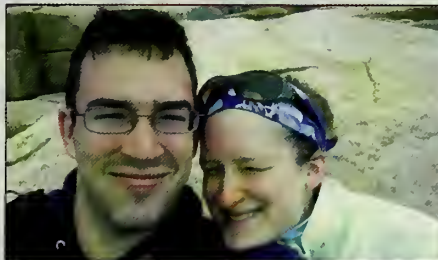
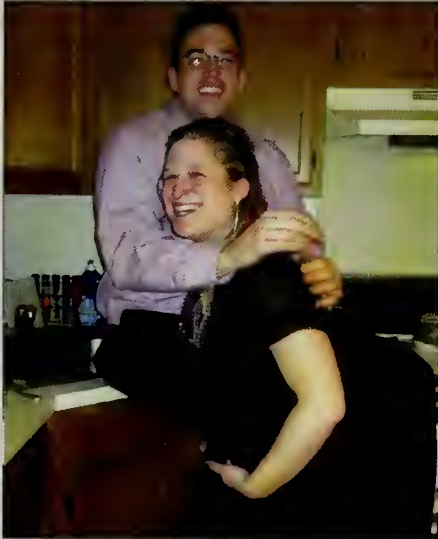
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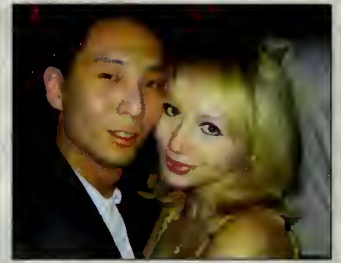
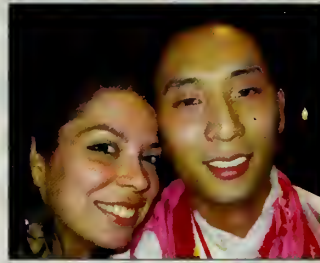
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"Don't Stop Believing. Hold on to that feeling..."
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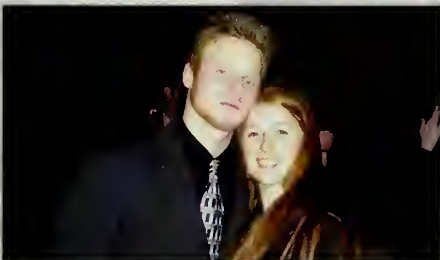
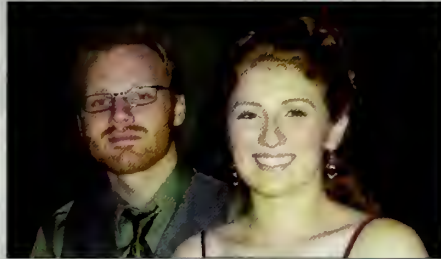
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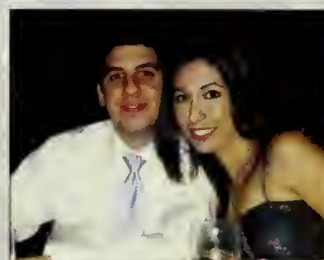
*"The future depends on what we do in the present."
- Mahatma Gandhi*



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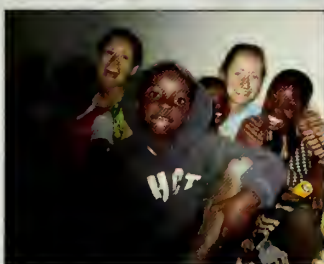
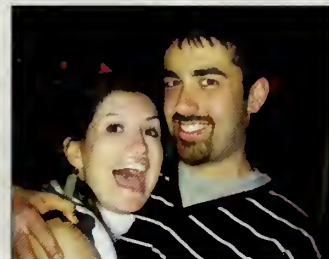
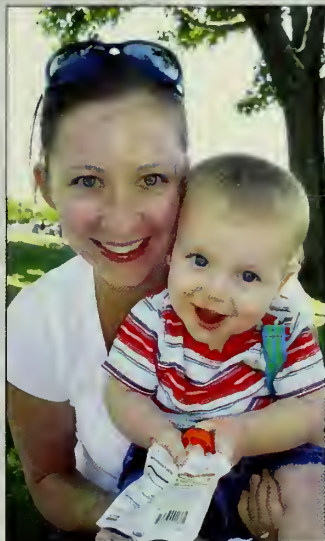
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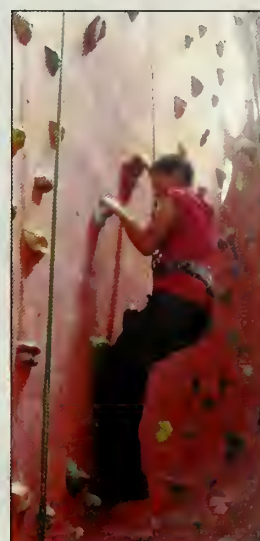
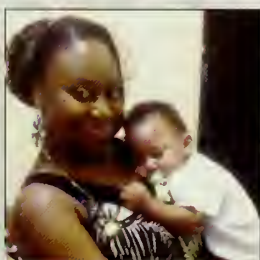
SF fortune cookie "Nature, time and patience are the three great physicians"



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"For unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required:
and to whom men have committed much, of him they will ask the more."
Luke 12:48

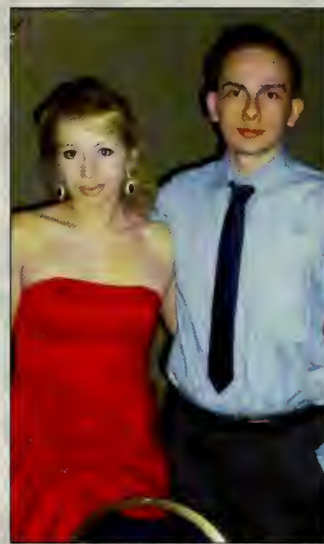




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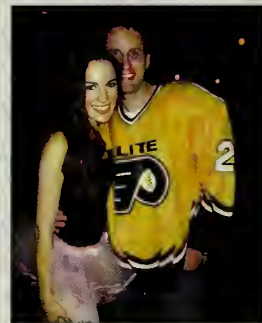
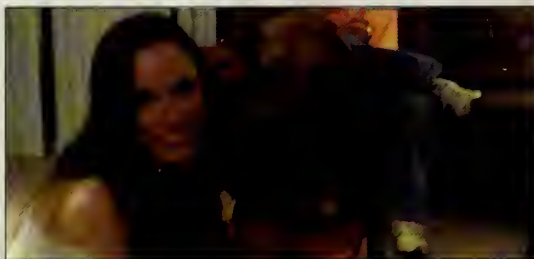
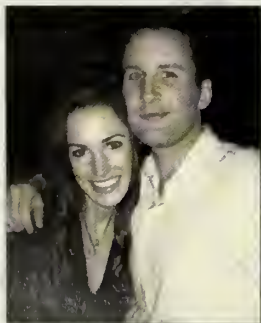
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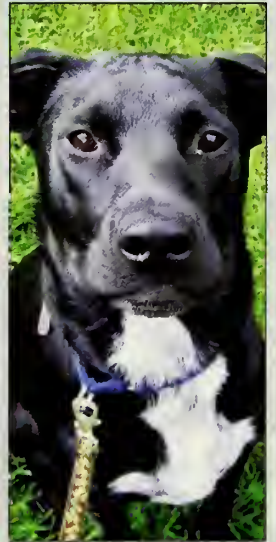
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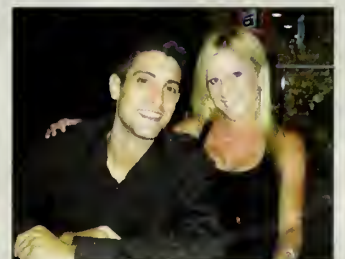


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"The rule of the artery is absolute, universal, and it must be unobstructed, or disease will result."
 - A.T. Still





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"...the highest forms of understanding we can achieve are laughter and human compassion."
- Richard Feynman

Well done, everyone.



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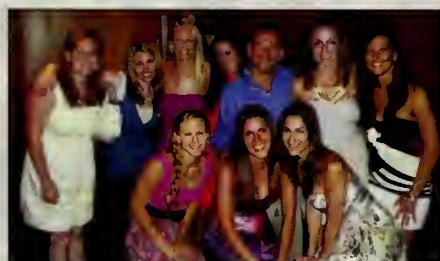
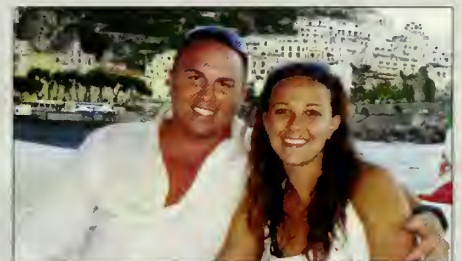
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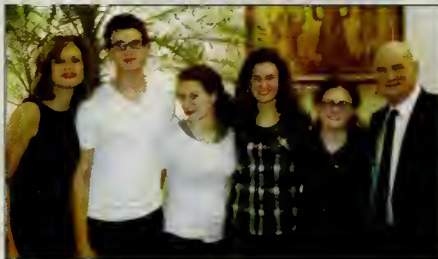
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"Success: To laugh often and much, to win the respect of intelligent people and the affection of children, to earn the appreciation of honest critics and endure the betrayal of false friends, to appreciate beauty, to find the best in others, to leave the world a bit better, whether by a healthy child, a garden patch, or a redeemed social condition; to know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived. This is to have succeeded!" - Ralph Waldo Emerson



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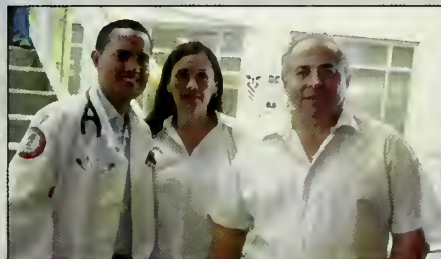
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"If you can't explain it simply, you don't understand it well enough." - A. Einstein
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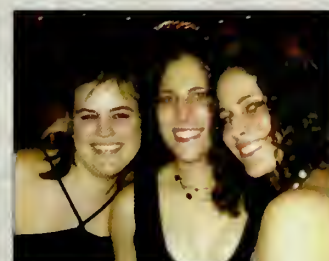
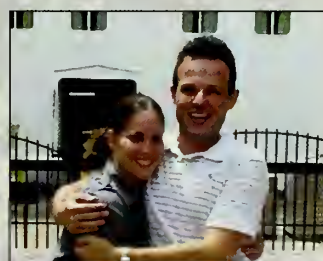
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- Jawaharal Nehru



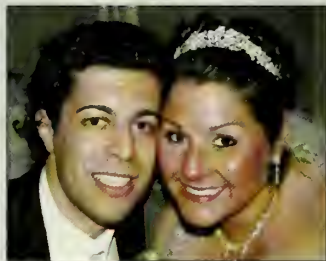


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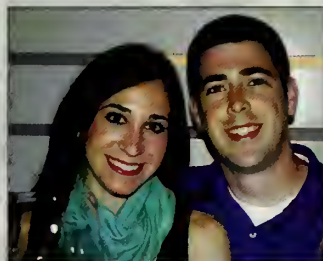
"Praise the bridge that carried you over."

-George Colman



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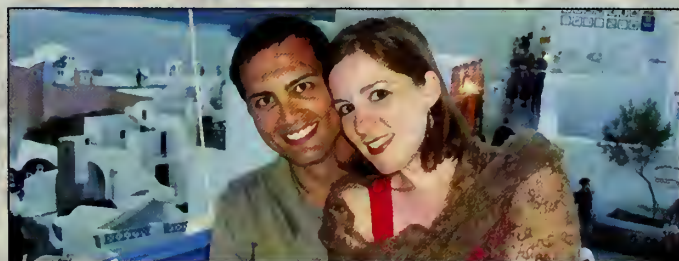
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"It is more important to know what sort of person has a disease
than to know what sort of disease a person has."
- Hippocrates



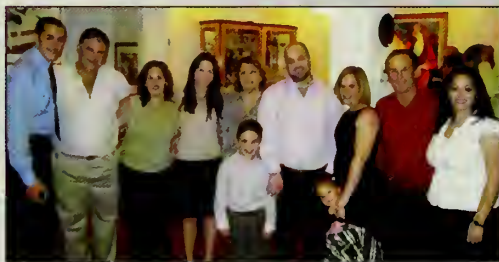


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“Fundamentally, the marksman aims at himself!” - Zen in the Art of Archery

Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts:
and see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting. - Psalm 139



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Enjoy your achievements as well as your plans.
Keep interested in your own career, however humble,
it is a real possession in the changing fortunes of time.
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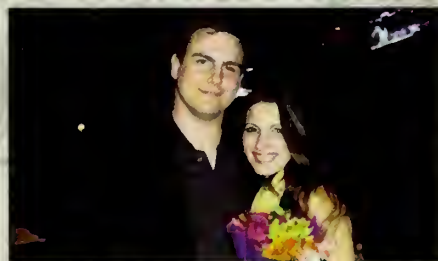
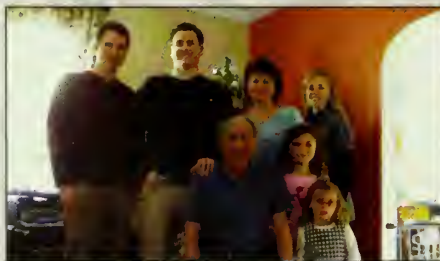


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People may forget what you said,
people may forget what you did,
but they will never forget how you made them feel...

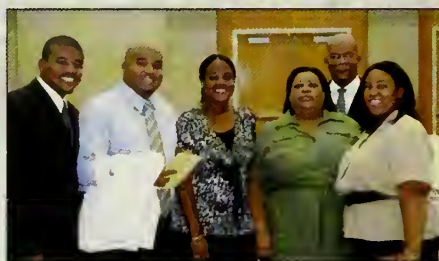
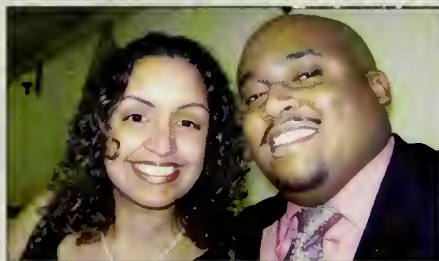
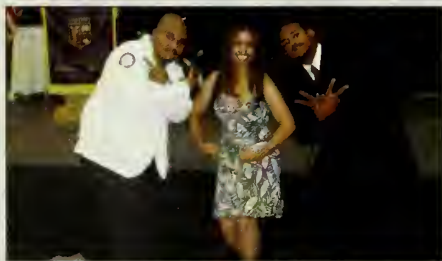


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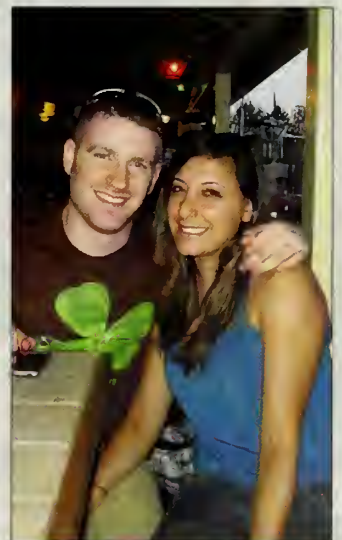
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"I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." Philippians 4:13



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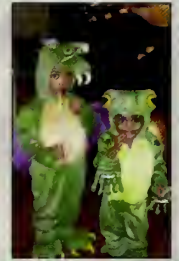




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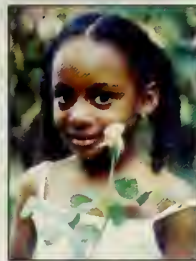
I dedicate this page to my beloved mother, supportive husband, beautiful children, and loving circle of family and friends. Thank you for supporting me during this process. Whether family, friend, mentor or teacher, I have been blessed by your presence in my life. Thank you! Che and Luke, my delicious little angels, you make my life richer and fuller every day. Please use my journey as an example that you are capable of anything into which you put your heart, mind and soul. Never let anyone tell you what you cannot do or limit your potential. You are fearfully and wonderfully made by God and NO ONE can take this away from you. I hope that I've made you proud! If the LORD delights in a man's way, He makes his steps firm; though he stumble, he will not fall, for the LORD upholds him with his hand.
- Psalm 37:23-24



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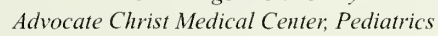
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I stumbled upon an article written about Eleanor Roosevelt entitled "Finding the Courage to Face Your Fears". She said, "You gain strength, courage and confidence by every experience in which you really stop to look fear in the face". Words I try to live by. Mom, my only wish is that you could be here now to share in the joy of this accomplishment and see how much I've grown. I hope that I have made you proud.



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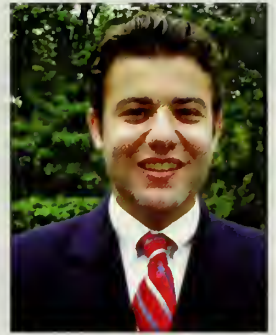
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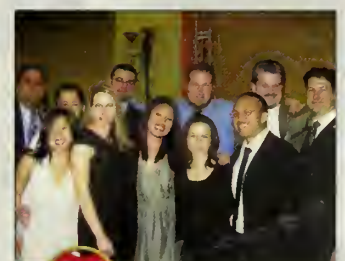
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Dedicated to my wife, for her love and support.

My children who always had faith in me.

My family, who supported us and never let us fall.

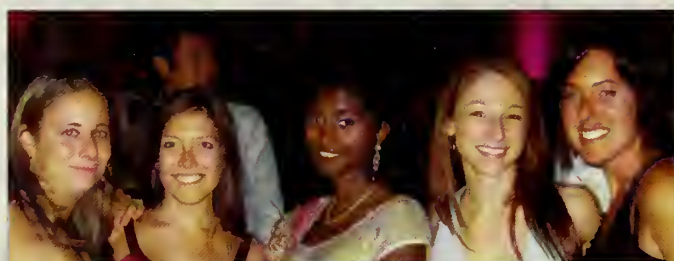
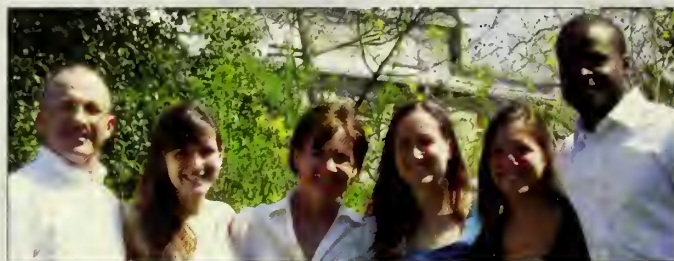
To my classmates, remember to chase your dreams with heart and dedication.



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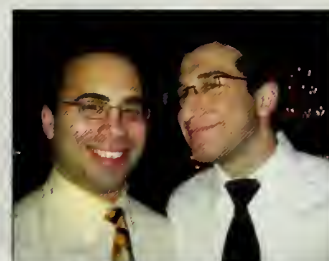
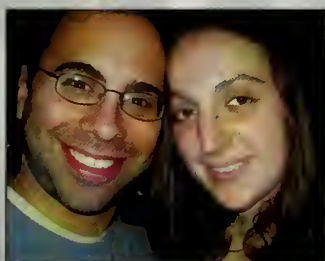
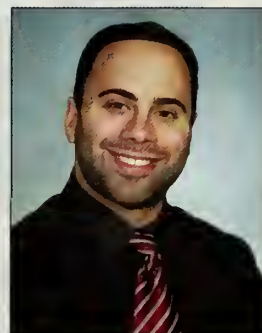
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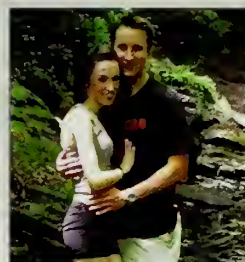
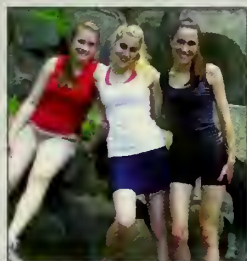


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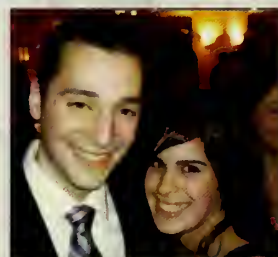
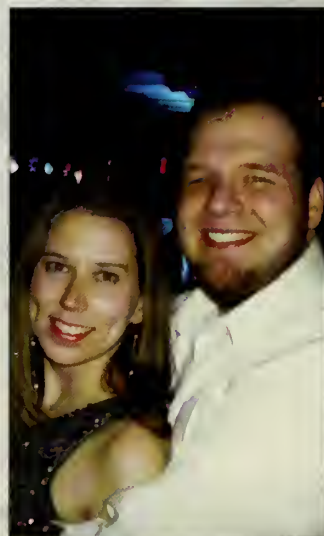
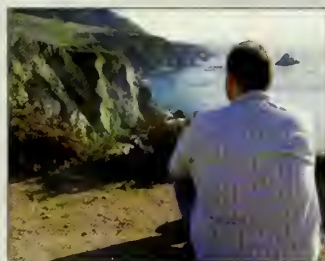
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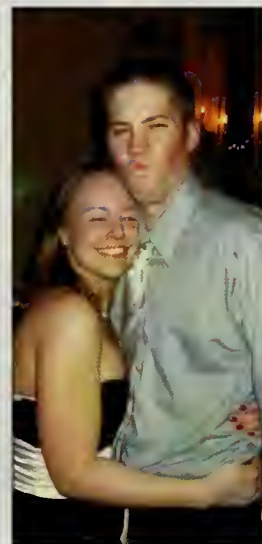
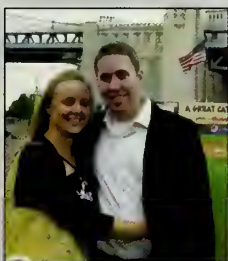
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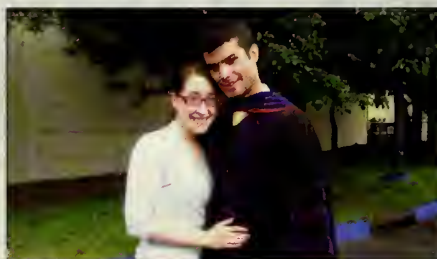
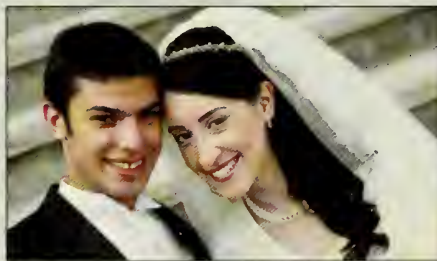


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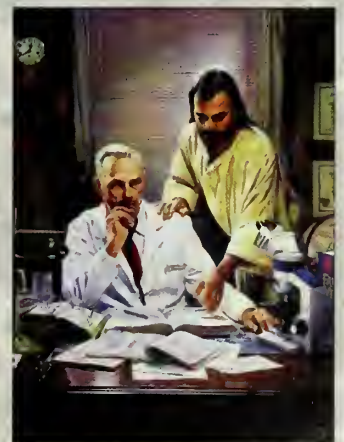
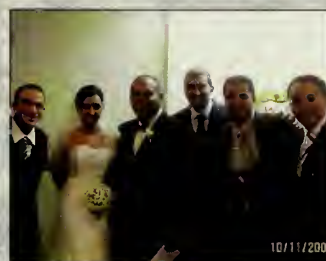
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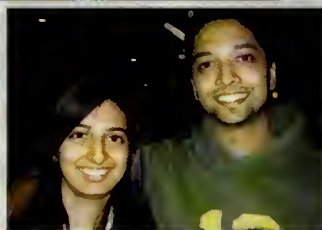


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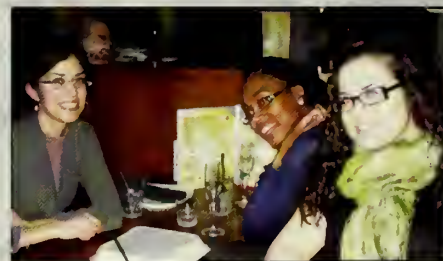


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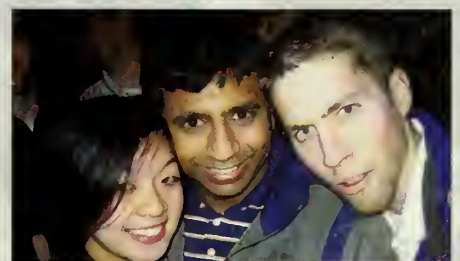
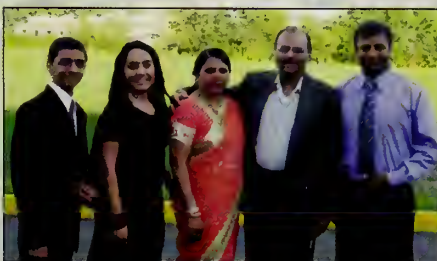
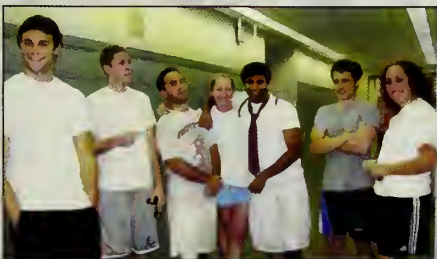
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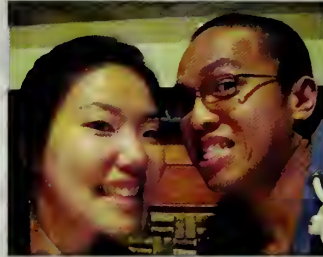
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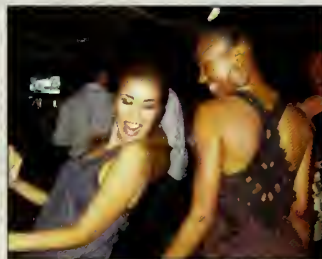
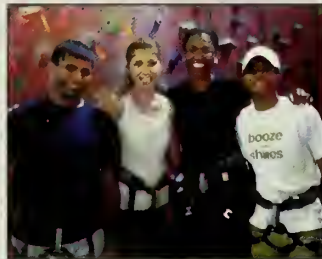


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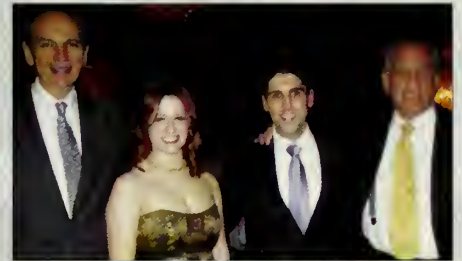


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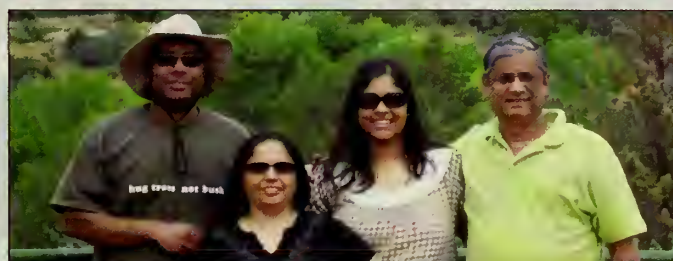
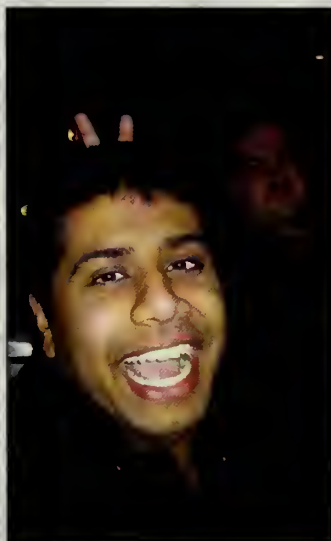
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"Brick walls let us show our dedication" - Randy Pausch

"At a cardiac arrest, the first procedure is to take your own pulse" - Samuel Shem

"There is sufficiency in the world for man's need but not for man's greed." - Gandhiji



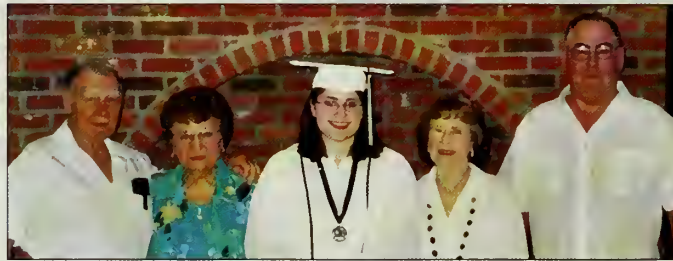


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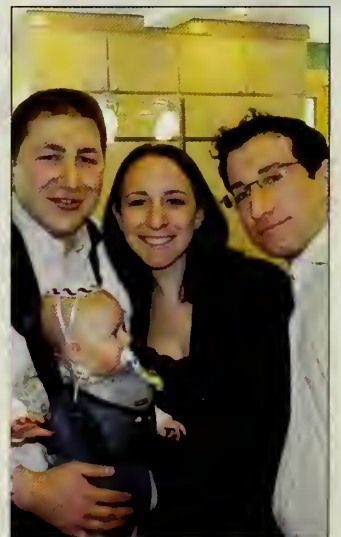
Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding.
Seek his will in all you do, and he will direct your paths. Proverbs 3:5-6



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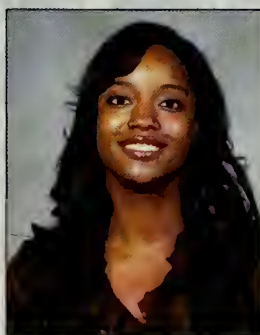
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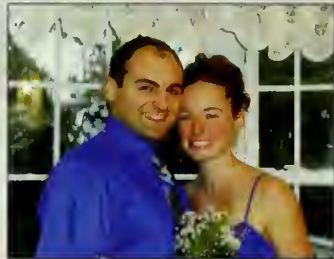
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If you can dream it, you can do it. -Walt Disney

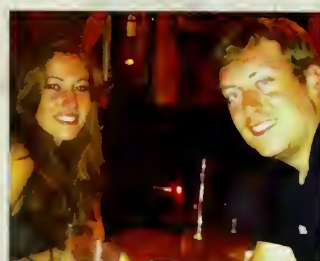
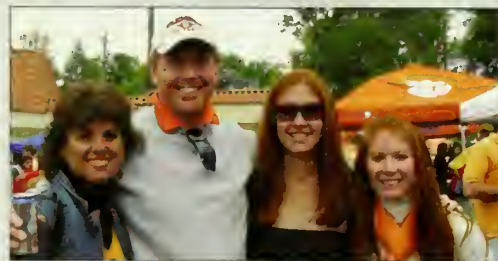


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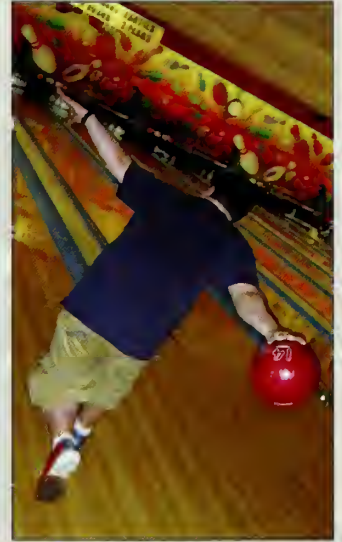
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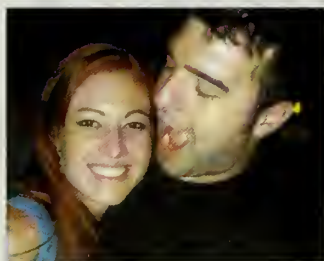


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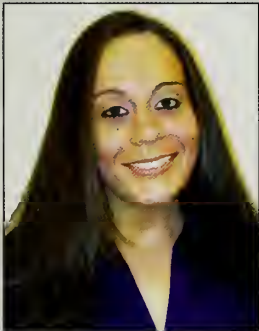
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"When you leave here, don't forget why you came." - Adlai Stevenson



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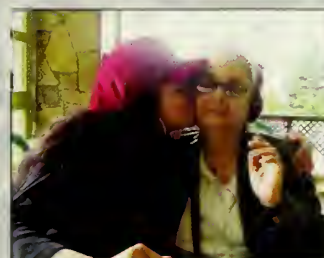
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"The character that takes command in moments of crucial choices has already been determined. It has been determined by a thousand other choices made earlier in seemingly unimportant moments. It has been determined by all the little choices of years past - by all those times when the voice of conscience was at war with the voice of temptation - whispering the lie that it really doesn't matter. It has been determined by all the day-to-day decisions made when life seemed easy and crisis seemed far away - the decisions that, piece by piece, bit by bit, developed habits of discipline or of laziness, habits of self-sacrifice or of self-indulgence, habits of duty and honor and integrity - or dishonor and shame. Because when life does get tough, and the crisis is undeniably at hand - when we must, in an instant look inward for strength of character to see us through - we will find nothing inside ourselves that we have not already put there."





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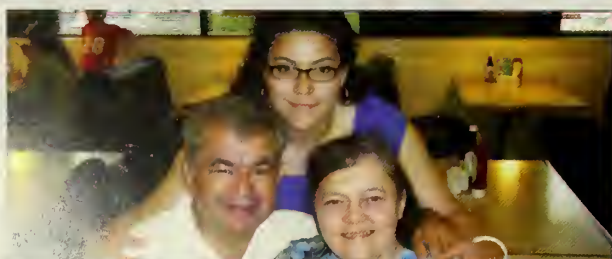
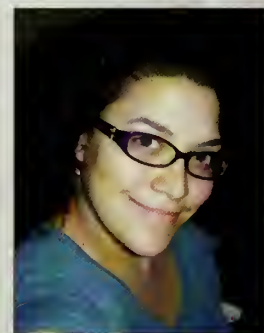
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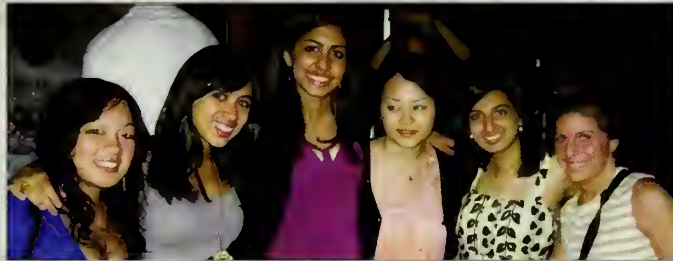
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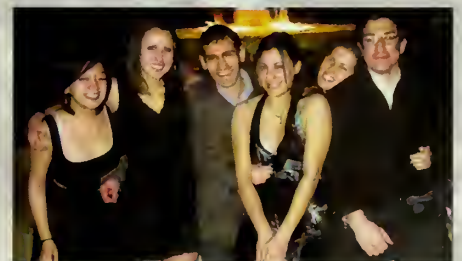
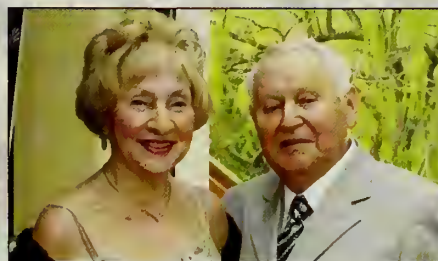
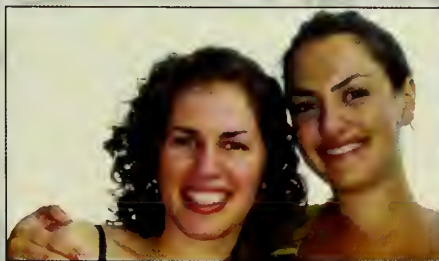
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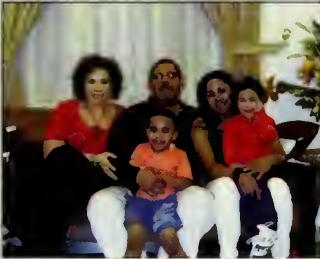
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"All who have accomplished great things have had a great aim, have fixed their gaze on a goal which was high, one which sometimes seemed impossible." - Orison Swett Marden

"The difference between the possible and the impossible lies in a person's determination."

To my family, thank you for your love and support.
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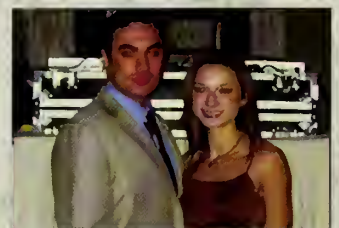
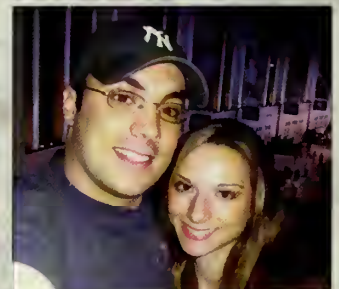
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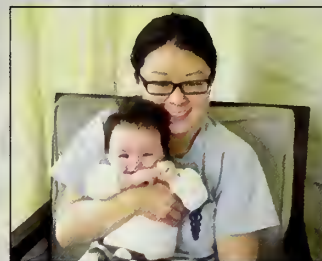
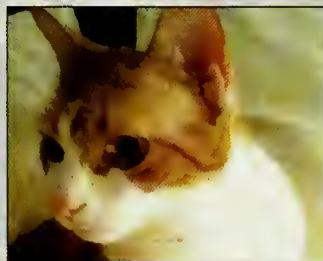
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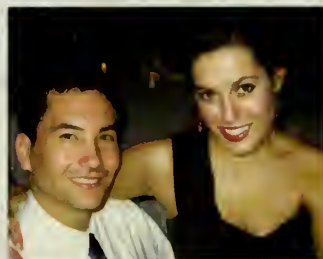
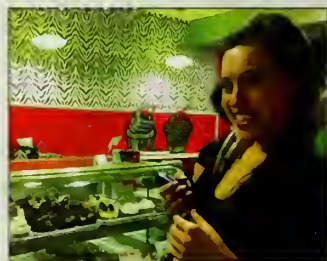


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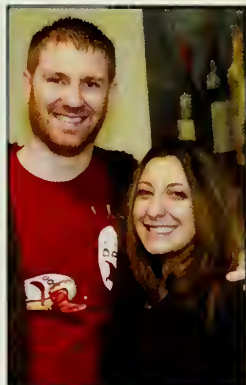
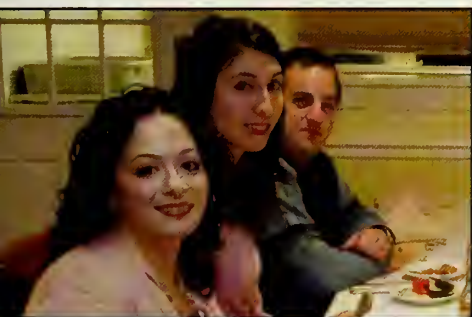
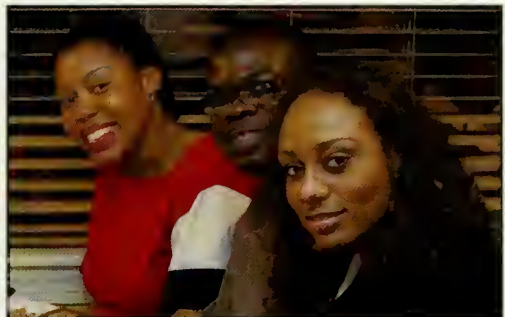
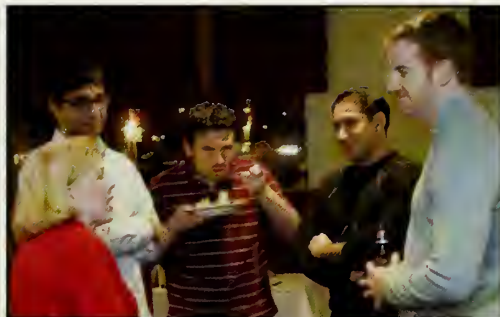
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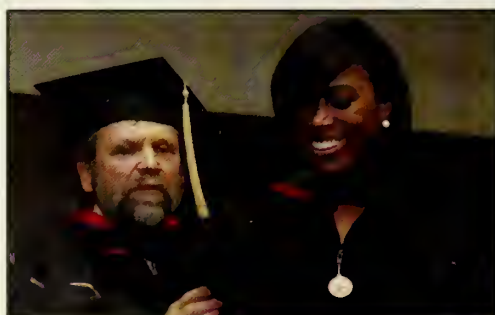
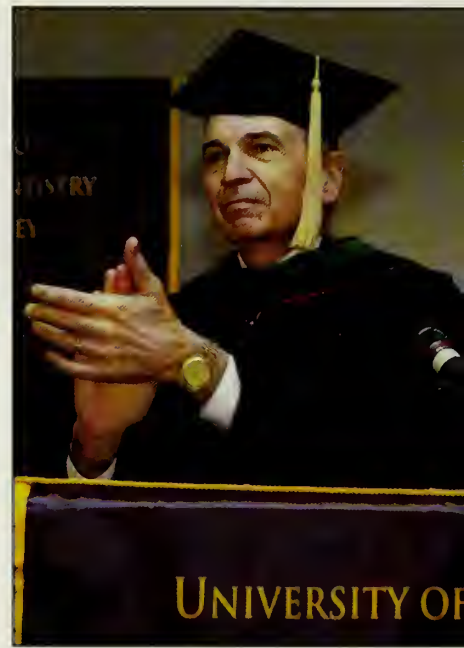
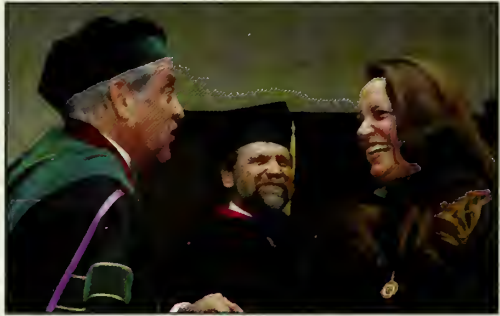
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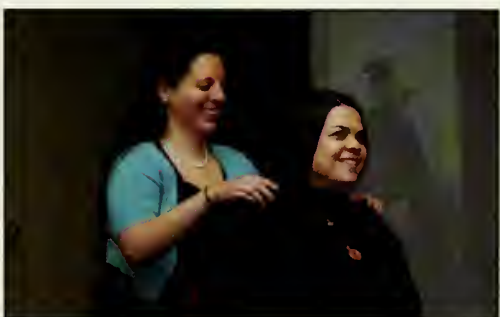
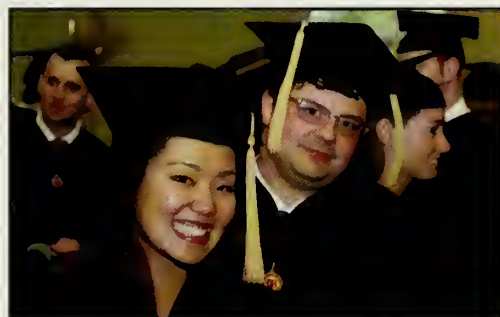


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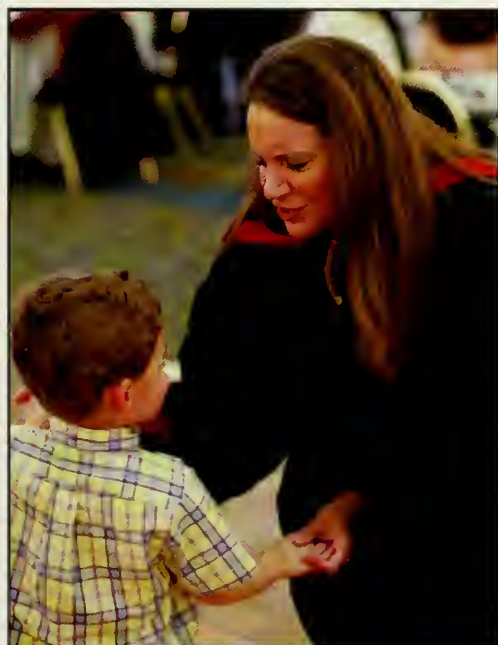


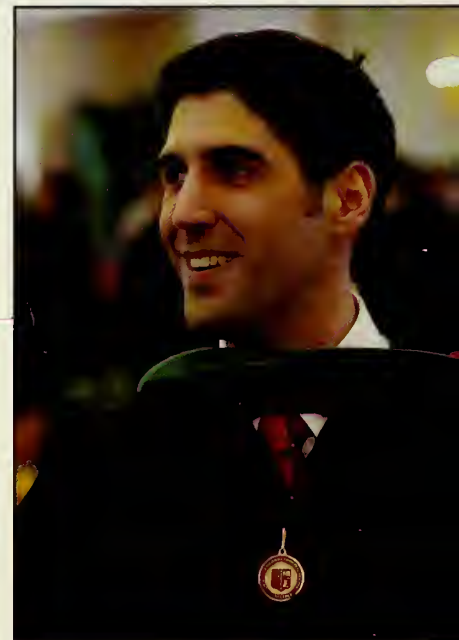
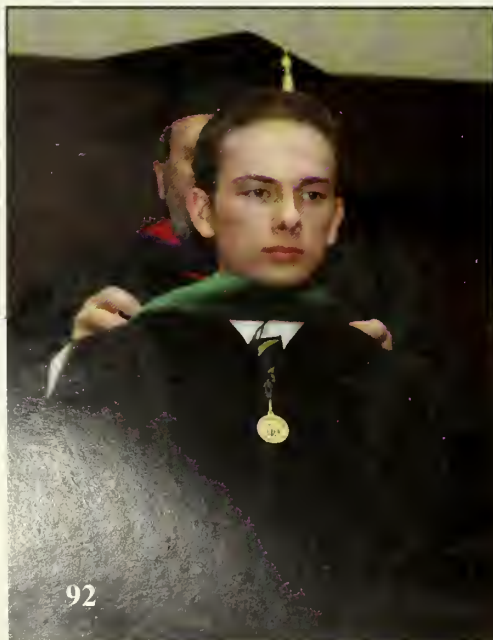
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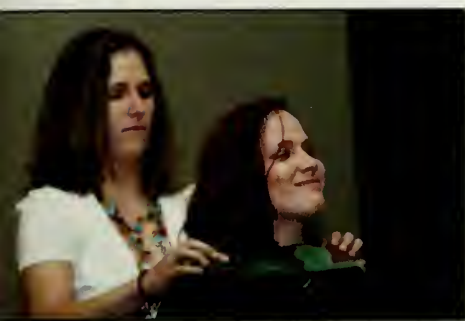




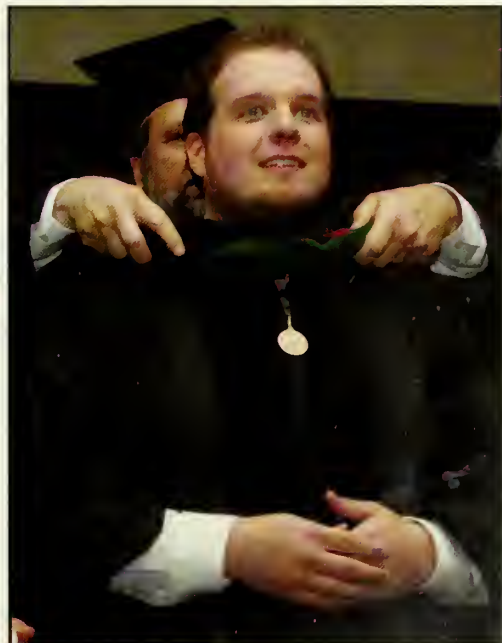
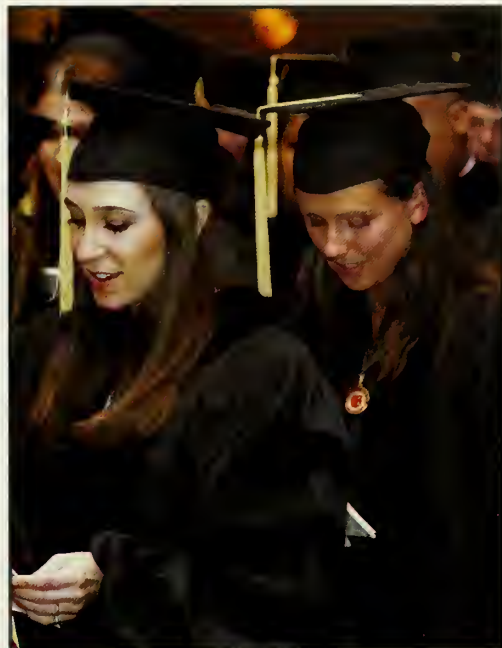












Congratulations Class of 2011!



THE 2011 YEARBOOK COMMITTEE

(l-r) Karandeep Jagpal, Oliver Chang, Kahyun Yoon-Flannery, Jennifer To, Claudio Fernandez, Carolyn Botros, Ayanna Kersey-McMullen, Jenna Gantner

Dear Classmates,

It feels like just days ago we had our White Coat Ceremony, but we have spent the last four years on a long journey to become physicians. The sugar train had its twists and turns, but ultimately we managed to arrive at our last stop – CONGRATULATIONS! WE MADE IT!!

At times our school work and rotations made us feel alone, but thankfully we are all blessed with the support of family members, friends, and loved ones. Throughout this journey we shared many personal milestones as a class – having formed new relationships, becoming engaged, getting married, having children and persevering through the passing of loved ones. We experienced many good times, and a few bad, together that in the end formed life-long friendships that we will treasure forever.

Thank you all for putting in the time to make this yearbook truly amazing. We would also like to thank Dean Micciche for all the guidance and support that he provided – not just for this yearbook, but for all four years of our time here at SOM – and Shanna Kurek, for the countless hours she spent helping us design layouts and dealing with us during all of our committee meetings! Again, Congratulations Class of 2011!

Sincerely,

Claudio M. Fernandez & the 2011 Yearbook Committee



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